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10/605,758In the Claims:

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (cancelled) ~~A system for viewing video images comprising:~~  
~~an uploader loading a video image file to a website; and~~  
~~a viewer viewing said video image file from said website.~~
2. (cancelled) ~~The system according to claim 1, wherein said viewer rates the video images.~~
3. (cancelled) ~~The system according to claim 1, wherein said uploader sets quality of said video image file.~~
4. (cancelled) ~~The system according to claim 1, wherein said uploader sets the fee to view said video image file.~~
5. (cancelled) ~~The system according to claim 1, wherein said viewer has access to viewing said video file for a set period of time.~~
6. (cancelled) ~~The system according to claim 1, wherein said system stores said video image file in a storage means.~~
7. (cancelled) ~~The system according to claim 1, wherein said system has a size limit on the size of the video file.~~

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8. (cancelled) The system according to claim 1, wherein said system can be used with a plurality of video formats.
9. (cancelled) The system according to claim 1, wherein said viewer having an account on said system.
10. (cancelled) The system according to claim 2, wherein said viewer rate a video file based on a scale of one to ten.
11. (cancelled) A method for viewing video images comprising the steps of:
  - having an uploader loading a video image file to a website; and
  - having a viewer viewing said video image file from said website.
12. (cancelled) The method according to claim 11 which includes the step of having said viewers rating the video images.
13. (cancelled) The method according to claim 11 which includes having said uploader setting the quality of said video image file.
14. (cancelled) The method according to claim 11 which includes having said uploader setting the fee to view said video image file.
15. (cancelled) The method according to claim 11 which includes having said viewer having access to viewing said video file for a set period of time.

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16. (cancelled) ~~The method according to claim 11 which includes storing said video image file in a storage means.~~
17. (cancelled) ~~The method according to claim 11 which includes having a size limit on the size of the video file.~~
18. (cancelled) ~~The method according to claim 11 which includes being used with a plurality of video formats.~~
19. (cancelled) ~~The method according to claim 11 which includes having said viewer having an account.~~
20. (cancelled) ~~The method according to claim 12 which includes having said viewer rating a video file based on a scale of one to ten.~~
21. (new) A method implemented in at least one web server hosting a website, said method comprising:
  - (a) receiving uploaded video clips from a plurality of remotely located uploaders via said website, each of said uploaders setting a fee associated with each uploaded video clip;
  - (b) receiving a request via said website for at least one uploaded video clip;
  - (c) identifying a fee associated with said requested video clip;
  - (d) charging at least said identified fee to an account associated with an originator of said request; and

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(e) upon successfully charging account in (d), providing said originator of said request with said requested video clip and crediting uploader of said requested video clip at least a portion of said charged fee.

22. (new) A method implemented in at least one web server hosting a website, as per claim 21, wherein said method further comprises the steps of receiving additional information related to each uploaded video clip, said additional information comprising any of, or a combination of, the following: level information, title information, or description information.

23. (new) A method implemented in at least one web server hosting a website, as per claim 22, wherein said additional information is used to match user requests for video clips.

24. (new) A method implemented in at least one web server hosting a website, as per claim 21, wherein said video clip is any of the following formats: AVI, MPEG-1, MPEG-2, WMV, FLIC, multi-pate TIFF, or animated GIF.

25. (new) A method implemented in at least one web server hosting a website, as per claim 21, wherein said provided video clip in (c) is viewable only for a pre-set time-limit.

26. (new) A method implemented in at least one web server hosting a website, as per claim 21, wherein said method further comprises receiving a viewer rating associated with said provided video clip.

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27. (new) A method implemented in at least one web server hosting a website, as per claim 21, wherein said uploaded video clips are within a pre-set size-limit.

28. (new) A system to upload, view, and rate videos comprising:

a web server hosting a website, said web server:

receiving uploaded video clips and a fee associated with each uploaded video clips from a plurality of remotely located uploaders, said uploading performed via said website;

receiving a request via said website for at least one uploaded video clip;

identifying a fee associated with said requested video clip;

charging at least said identified fee to an account associated with an originator of said request, and

upon successfully charging account, providing said viewer with said requested video clip and crediting uploader of said requested video at least a portion of said charged fee; and

a storage system associated with said web server storing at least data related to said website, said uploaded video clips, and fee associated with uploaded clips.

29. (new) A system to upload, view, and rate videos as per claim 28, wherein said web server additionally receives information related to each uploaded video clip, said additional information comprising any of, or a combination of, the following: level information, title information, or description information.

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30. (new) A system to upload, view, and rate vidcos, as per claim 29, wherein said additional information is used by said web server to match user requests for video clips.

31. (new) A system to upload, view, and rate vidcos, as per claim 28, wherein said video clip is any of the following formats: AVI, MPEG-1, MPEG-2, WMV, FLIC, multi-page TIFF, or animated GIF.

32. (new) A system to upload, view, and rate videos, as per claim 28, wherein said provided video clip in (c) is viewable only for a pre-set time-limit.

33. (new) A system to upload, view, and rate videos, as per claim 28, wherein said web server additionally receives and stores a viewer rating associated with said provided video clip.

34. (new) A system to upload, view, and rate videos, as per claim 28, wherein said web server ensures that said uploaded video clips are within a pre-set size-limit.

35. (new) An article of manufacture comprising storage media having software code embodied to interact with a web server, said medium comprising:

(a) computer readable program code aiding in storage of uploaded video clips and a fee associated with each uploaded video clips, said video clips uploaded from a plurality of remotely located uploaders via said website, each of said uploaders setting a fee associated with each uploaded video clip;

(b) computer readable program code aiding in receiving a request via said website for at least one uploaded video clip;

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(c) computer readable program code identifying a fee associated with said requested video clip;

(d) computer readable program code aiding in charging at least said identified fee to an account associated with an originator of said request;

(e) upon successfully charging account in (d), computer readable program code providing said viewer with said requested video clip and crediting uploader of said requested video clip at least a portion of said charged fee.

36. (new) A method to upload video clips for viewing and rating by a plurality of viewers comprising:

(a) accessing a website over a network;

(b) providing a title and description of said video clip to be uploaded;

(c) setting a fee associated with said video clip to be uploaded; and

(d) uploading said video clip onto a server associated with said website,

wherein said uploaded video clip is sold to other users accessing said website by charging users at least said set fee, with at least a portion of said charged fees credited to uploader of said video clip.

37. (new) A method to upload video clips for viewing and rating by a plurality of viewers, as per claim 36, wherein said title and description information is used by said server to match user requests for video clips.

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38. (new) A method to upload video clips for viewing and rating by a plurality of viewers, as per claim 36, wherein said video clip is any of the following formats: AVI, MPEG-1, MPEG-2, WMV, FLJC, multi-pate TIFF, or animated GIF.

39. (new) A method to upload video clips for viewing and rating by a plurality of viewers, as per claim 36, wherein said said video clips are viewable only for a pre-set time-limit.

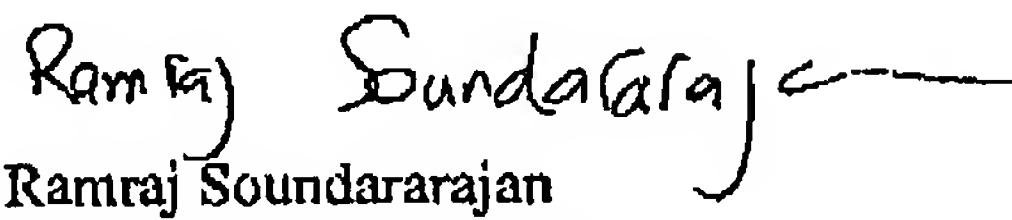
40. (new) A method to upload video clips for viewing and rating by a plurality of viewers, as per claim 36, wherein said method further comprises the step of receiving and storing a viewer rating associated with a said video clip.

41. (new) A method to upload video clips for viewing and rating by a plurality of viewers, as per claim 36, wherein said server ensures that said uploaded video clips are within a pre-set size-limit.

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